

PATENT

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116 – EXPEDITED  
PROCEDURE – EXAMINING GROUP 1732**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Applicants: Knaak *et al.*  
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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL UNDER 37 CFR §1.116**

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated July 11, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.